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1. The Peruvian Government has released no official statement concerning the resignation of the Cabinet, and the situation remains tense.
2. The possibility exists that a new Cabinet will be formed after midnight 17 June 1943 around a supporter of Army Inspector General Federico Hurtado and that it will contain certain less intransigent members of the previous Cabinet.

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Comment: It is believed that a military coup d'etat is probable only if the President himself should now step down. Aprista violence is expected only if the APRA should be declared illegal. Both of these eventualities appear to be unlikely.

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